

## DID YOU KNOW?

- Long Beach has an average of 345 days of sunshine every year.
- Long Beach's Port is one of the busiest in the nation, handling more than 4.4 million containers in fiscal year 2003.
- Approximately 5.5 million tourists and convention delegates visit Long Beach each year.
- Long Beach is the fifth largest city in California with a population of 472,412.
- Long Beach is one of only three cities in California with its own Health Department and Energy Department, and the only city in California with its own Oil Department.
- Long Beach Airport offers flights to more than 300 destinations via Alaska Airlines, American Airlines, America West Airlines and JetBlue Airways.
- Long Beach was the first city in the nation to open a commuter Bikestation.
- Long Beach operates the busiest municipal golf course system in the nation.
- The annual Toyota Grand Prix of Long Beach auto race brings over 300,000 attendees to the city every April.
- The City of Long Beach has its own Speakers Bureau featuring city topics. It's available at [www.longbeach.gov](http://www.longbeach.gov).
- Long Beach will be the home of the 2004 Olympic Swim Trials in July.
- Over 10,000 people participate in the scenic Long Beach *International City Bank Marathon* every October.

## CITY ATTRACTIONS AND POINTS OF INTEREST

<i><b>Aqualink "Get-Around" Water Bus</b></i>	591-2301
<i><b>Belmont Plaza Olympic Pool</b></i>	570-1806
<i><b>Bikestation</b></i>	436-2453
<i><b>Catalina Island</b></i>	Catalina Express (800) 481-3470
	Island Express Helicopters (310) 510-2525
<i><b>Earl Burns Miller Japanese Gardens</b></i>	California State University 985-8885
<i><b>El Dorado Nature Center</b></i>	570-1745
<i><b>Farmer's Market</b></i>	Downtown: Fridays only 433-3881
<i><b>Historic Long Beach Walking Tours</b></i>	Long Beach Heritage Assoc. 493-7019
<i><b>Historical Society of Long Beach Gallery and Archives</b></i>	495-1210
<i><b>International City Theatre</b></i>	436-4610
<i><b>Long Beach Aquarium of the Pacific</b></i>	590-3100
<i><b>Long Beach Convention and Entertainment Center</b></i>	436-3636



<i><b>Long Beach Convention and Visitors Bureau</b></i>	436-3645
<i><b>Long Beach Museum of Art</b></i>	439-2119
<i><b>Long Beach Ice Dogs Professional Hockey</b></i>	423-3647
<i><b>Long Beach Jams Professional Basketball</b></i>	799-8100
<i><b>Long Beach Playhouse</b></i>	494-1014
<i><b>Long Beach Symphony Orchestra</b></i>	436-3203
<i><b>Museum of Latin American Art</b></i>	437-1689
<i><b>Musical Theatre West</b></i>	856-1999
<i><b>Port of Long Beach</b></i>	437-0041
<i><b>The Queen Mary</b></i>	435-3511
<i><b>Rainbow Harbor &amp; Lions' Lighthouse for Sight</b></i>	432-3109
<i><b>Rancho Los Alamitos</b></i>	431-3541
<i><b>Rancho Los Cerritos</b></i>	570-1755
<i><b>Theater League</b></i>	495-1801
For information on Long Beach events, call 570-5333.	

## MAJOR SHOPPING AREAS

<i><b>Belmont Shore</b></i>	4500-5400 Blocks, E. Second St.
<i><b>CityPlace</b></i>	Downtown Long Beach
<i><b>Long Beach Towne Square</b></i>	Carson St. at Cherry Ave.
<i><b>Long Beach Towne Center</b></i>	7500 Carson Street at I-605
<i><b>Los Altos Shopping Center</b></i>	Bellflower Blvd. at Stearns St.
<i><b>Marina Pacifica</b></i>	E. Pacific Coast Highway at Second St.
<i><b>Marketplace Shopping Center</b></i>	Pacific Coast Hwy. at Westminster Blvd.
<i><b>The Pike at Rainbow Harbor</b></i>	Downtown Long Beach Waterfront
<i><b>Pine Avenue</b></i>	Downtown Long Beach Be sure to visit City Goods for that gift that says "Long Beach!"
<i><b>Shoreline Village</b></i>	Downtown Long Beach Waterfront
<i><b>Wrigley Market Place</b></i>	Willow St. at Long Beach Blvd.

## CITY OF LONG BEACH

# FACTS AT A GLANCE

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CITY OF LONG BEACH  
333 West Ocean Boulevard  
Long Beach, CA 90802  
[www.longbeach.gov](http://www.longbeach.gov)

LOCAL ELECTED OFFICIALS

<b>Mayor</b> Beverly O’Neill	570-6801
<b>City Council</b>	
<b>District 1</b> Bonnie Lowenthal	570-6919
<b>District 2</b> Dan Baker	570-6684
<b>Vice Mayor – District 3</b> Frank Colonna	570-6310
<b>District 4</b> Dennis Carroll	570-6918
<b>District 5</b> Jackie Kell	570-6932
<b>District 6</b> Laura Richardson	570-6816
<b>District 7</b> Tonia Reyes Uranga	570-6139
<b>District 8</b> Rob Webb	570-6685
<b>District 9</b> Val Lerch	570-6137
<b>City Attorney</b> Robert Shannon	570-2200
<b>City Auditor</b> Gary Burroughs	570-6767
<b>City Prosecutor</b> Tom Reeves	570-5600

CITY MANAGER’S OFFICE

<b>City Manager</b> Gerald “Jerry” Miller	570-6916
<b>Assistant City Manager</b> Christine Shippey	570-6811
<b>Deputy City Managers</b> Reginald Harrison Suzanne Mason	570-5850 570-5092

OTHER ELECTED OFFICIALS

<b>L.A. County Board of Supervisors</b> Don Knabe	256-1920
<b>State Assembly</b> Alan Lowenthal (D) Jenny Oropeza (D) Mervyn Dymally (D)	495-4766 (310) 518-3324 (310) 223-1201
<b>State Senate</b> Betty Karnette (D) Edward Vincent (D) Debra Bowen (D)	997-0794 (310) 412-0393 (310) 318-6994
<b>Governor</b> Arnold Schwarzenegger (R)	(213) 897-0322
<b>U.S. House of Representatives</b> Linda Sanchez (D) Juanita Millender- McDonald (D) Dana Rohrabacher (R)	429-8499  (310) 538-1190 (714) 960-6483
<b>U.S. Senate</b> Barbara Boxer (D) Dianne Feinstein (D)	(213) 894-5000 (310) 914-7300

EMERGENCY NUMBERS

<b>FIRE / POLICE</b> <b>MEDICAL EMERGENCY</b> <b>DIAL 911</b>	
<b>Gas Emergency</b> <b>Water Emergency</b> Non-Emergency Police Non-Emergency Fire	<b>570-2140</b> <b>570-2390</b> 435-6711 591-7631

WHERE DO I CALL  
WHEN I WANT TO KNOW ABOUT...

Accessibility Issues Affordable Housing Airport Alcohol/Drug Rehab Animal Village Blue Line Light Rail Building Permits Bus Schedules Business Assistance Business Licenses Cable Service (Charter) Calif. State University, LB Chamber of Commerce Channel 8, LBTv City Council Agendas City Job Hotline City Goods Store Convention Center Electric Turn On/Off (SCE) Fire Dept. Community Svcs Fire Prevention Gas Bills, Turn On/Off Golf Courses Graffiti Hotline Hate Crimes/Human Dignity Housing Authority Immunizations Legislative Affairs Libraries Long Beach City College LB Unified School District Marina–Alamitos Bay Marina–Downtown Media Relations Neighborhood Nuisances Parks Parking Tickets Police Complaints Public Corp. for the Arts Recreation Programs	570-6803 570-6949 570-2600 570-4100 570-7387 (800) 266-6883 570-6651 591-2301 570-3800 570-6211 (310) 971-4000 985-4111 436-1251 570-1060 570-6101 570-6201 435-7915 436-3636 (800) 684-8123 570-2544 570-2560 570-5700 494-5000 570-2773 570-6948 570-6985 570-4222 570-7124 570-7500 938-4111 997-8000 570-3215 570-4950 570-6818 570-5650 570-3100 570-6822 570-6891 570-1930 570-3100
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Recycling Hotline Sewer Problems Shopping Carts Special Events Street Lights Street Sweeping Telephone Svc (Verizon) Trash Bills, Turn On/Off Trash Collection Tree Trimming Water Bills, Turn On/Off	570-2876 570-2300 (800) 252-4613 570-5333 (888) 544-4868 570-2890 (800) 483-4000 570-5700 570-2876 570-2770 570-5700
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CITY DEPARTMENTS

City Clerk Civil Service Community Development Financial Management Fire Department Harbor Department Health and Human Services Human Resources Library Services Long Beach Energy Oil Properties Parks, Recreation and Marine Planning and Building Police Department Public Works Technology Services Water Department	570-6101 570-6202 570-6841 570-6237 570-2510 590-4100 570-4000 570-6621 570-7500 570-2003 570-3900 570-3170 570-6651 570-7260 570-6383 570-6455 570-2301
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GENERAL INFORMATION

570-6555

FACTS AND FIGURES

<b>Incorporated:</b> 1888
<b>Area:</b> 52.3 sq. mi.
<b>Average Temperatures:</b> Jan.-March: 46°-67° April-June: 55°-74° July-Sept.: 63°-83° Oct.-Dec.: 50°-73°
<b>Population:</b> 472,412 African-American – 14.5% Asian – 11.9% Caucasian/European – 33.1% Hispanic – 35.8% Native American/Alaskan – 0.4% Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander – 1.2% Other – 0.2% Two or more races – 2.9%
<b>Colleges/Universities:</b> 2
<b>Community Centers:</b> 26
<b>Golf Courses:</b> 5
<b>Hospitals:</b> 6
<b>Libraries:</b> 12
<b>Miles of Beaches:</b> 6.5
<b>Miles of Bikeways:</b> 35
<b>Oil Wells:</b> 1,964
<b>Parks:</b> 88
<b>Parkland Acreage:</b> 2,235
<b>Beach Acreage:</b> 541
<b>Navigable Waterways Acreage:</b> 468
<b>Long Beach Internet Address:</b> <a href="http://www.long-beach.gov">http://www.long-beach.gov</a>